Docket No.

204403US0PCT

"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP Z812" JFW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Bernard ASPAR, et al.

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SERIAL NO: 09/806,511

EXAMINER: Lattin, C. W.

FILED:

April 16, 2001

FOR:

METHOD FOR PRODUCING A LAYER OF MATERIAL EMBEDDED IN ANOTHER MATERIAL

NOTICE OF APPEAL

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated January 15, 2004

The items checked below are appropriate:

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for months.

- A timely response to the final rejection is being filed herewith, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
- A Petition for Extension of Time for filing the Notice of Appeal is attached.

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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ A check is Enclosed
- A credit card payment form is enclosed
- ☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> (an additional copy of this notice is enclosed herewith).
- Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment of fees required for filing the Notice of Appeal to Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u>. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.
- If this notice is not considered timely filed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u>. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.

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